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5 A disposable undergarment 1A includes an absorbent panel
and a stretchable skin-facing sheet 7 positioned on a skin-
facing side 2 of the panel 6. The skin-facing sheet 7 has fixed
regions 7a lying on longitudinally opposite end regions 1a of
the undergarment 1A, a middle region 7b normally biased to be
spaced apart upward from the panel 6, transversely opposite side
edge regions 7c transversely inward to define leg-holes and an
10 opening 8 formed in the middle region 7b in a manner that a basis
weight of the skin-facing sheet 7 is higher in the transversely
opposite side edge regions 7c than in the remaining region and
a tensile stress of the skin-facing sheet 7 is higher in the
transversely opposite side edge regions 7c than in the remaining
15 region.